

Electronic Waste & Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Facility

1900 E. Club Blvd.

Tue. & Wed.: 12 p.m. – 6 p.m. Thu., Fri., & Sat.: 7:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.

These items should never be placed in your garbage or recycling carts.

Examples of HHW include:

- Liquid Paints
- Pesticides and Herbicides
- Furniture Strippers
- Solvents and Glues
- Mercury Thermometers
- Fluorescent Light Bulbs (all shapes)
- Batteries of All Types

Waste Disposal & Recycling Center

The Waste Disposal and Recycling Center (Transfer Station) at 2115 E. Club Blvd. has a drop-off center that accepts all the items that can be placed in your curbside cart if your cart is full or you live in an apartment/complex and do not have a cart. Below are items that should not be placed in your cart and taken to the transfer station. Operating hours are Mon. - Fri., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sat. 7:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.. Items include:

- Antifreeze
- Motor Oil & Motor Oil Filters
- Lead Acid Batteries
- Cooking Oil
- White Goods (Appliances)
- Tires off the rim (Max 5 for free disposal)
- Garbage & Yard Waste (fees apply)

Notice Under the Americans with Disabilities Act

A person with a disability may receive an auxiliary aid or service to effectively participate in city government activity by contacting the ADA Coordinator, voice 919-560-4197, fax 560-4196, TTY 919-560-1200, or ADA@durhamnc.gov, as soon as possible but no later than 48 hours before the event or deadline date.

In The Can

- •Plastic bottles, jugs and jars Rinse container clean
- •Margarine and yogurt containers
- •All types of mixed paper products
- •Junk mail including window envelopes
- •Newspaper and inserts, flyers, glossy magazines
- •Telephone books
- White and colored papers
 Paper must be clean and dry
 Boxes with wax coating and/or grease and food
 residue aren't accepted
 Shredded paper is accepted if placed in a brown paper bag
 and placed inside the recycling cart
- •Juice boxs
- •Milk cartons
- Orange juice cartons
- Chicken broth containers
- Glass
- •Metal
- •Tin
- Aluminum
 Anything with grease and food residue are unacceptable
- •Clean plastic buckets (no metal handles)
- •Plastic toys with no wires
- •100% plastic lawn furniture

Not In The Can

- •NO take-out boxes
- •NO object that has come into contact with petroleum products or hazardous waste
- •NO takeout "clamshell" containers, plastic bags and polystyrene
- •NO Food residue, waxed paper, paper towel, tissue paper, hard cover books
- •NO Straws
- •NO liquids
- •NO Capri Sun containers
- •NO scrap metal
- •NO lightbulbs
- •NO household items
- •NO cooking pots
- Liquid Paints
- Pesticides and Herbicides
- •Furniture Strippers
- •Solvents and Glues
- •Mercury Thermometers
- •Fluorescent Light Bulbs (all shapes)
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Durham Recycles!



Do You?



Department of Solid Waste Management

Recycling. It's the Law!

City and State regulations prohibit certain items from being placed in the trash.

- Aluminum Cans (1994 state law)
- Steel Cans
- Glass Bottles and Jars
- Plastic Bottles (2009 state law)
- Newspapers
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Yard Waste
- Computers & TVs (2011 state law)

Curbside Collection

Curbside recycling is collected every other week, on the same day as your garbage, according to a blue and red schedule. Contact Durham One Call at 560-1200 if your cart is missed for collection, broken, or you don't know your week color. Below are some tips on how to prepare your recycling for collection.

- Place carts at the curb by 7 a.m. (6 a.m. during the summer months).
- All paper should be clean and dry.
- Place shredded paper in a brown paper bag before placing in the cart.
- All containers should be rinsed.
- There should be no food residue or dirt on any recycling item.
- It's okay to leave labels on.
- Remove carts promptly after servicing.

Proper Cart Placement

- Carts must not be blocked by vehicles or obstructions.
- Lids must be closed.
- Place the cart no more than 3 feet from the curb.
- Carts must be placed at least three feet apart.
- Carts must also be at least three feet from other objects such as mail boxes, fire hydrants, trees, or utility poles.



Can I Put this in the Cart?

PLASTICS

• Plastic bottles, jugs and jars



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- NO takeout "clamshell" containers, plastic bags and polystyrene



PAPER

- All types of mixed paper products
- Junk mail including window envelopes
- Newspaper and inserts, flyers, glossy magazines
- Telephone books
- White and colored paper Paper must be clean and dry. Boxes with wax coating and/or grease and food residue aren't accepted. Shredded paper is accepted if placed in a brown paper



• NO Food residue, waxed paper, paper towel, tissue paper, hard cover books



CONTAINERS

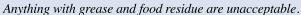
- Juice boxes
- Milk cartons
- Orange juice cartons
- Chicken broth containers



- NO Straws
- NO liquids
- NO Capri Sun Containers

GLASS & METAL

- Glass
- Metal
- Tin
- Aluminum



- NO scrap metals
- NO lightbulbs
- NO household items
- NO cooking pots



New Recycling Items

- Clean plastic buckets (no metal handles)
- Plastic toys with no wires
- 100% plastic lawn furniture
- Each individual item must weigh less than 40 pounds and be shorter than 2 feet in length.

